

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Yusaku YOSHIMATSU	Art Unit: 2828
Application No.: 10/599,468	
Confirmation No.: 9414	Examiner: S. Hagan
Filed: April 5, 2007	
Title: LASER ELEMENT DRIVING APPARATUS	

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated July 9, 2009, the period for response to which has been extended to November 9, 2009, by the accompanying Petition for a ONE-month Extension of Time, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- Amendments to the Specification** begin on page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper.
- Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.
- Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper and include an attached replacement sheet. An **Appendix** including the amended drawing figures is attached following page \_\_\_\_\_ of this paper.
- Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 7 of this paper.

Please note, if a box is not checked, then no corresponding amendment is being made.